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EXAMINING GROUP 2100

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In re Application of:

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Application No.: 10/002,337

Art Group: 2132

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For: A Mechanism to Improve  
Authentication for Remote Management  
of a Computer System

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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 5, 2005, which was made final, applicant submits this Amendment After Final Action for consideration.

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